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In re Patent Application of:
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For: ABSORBENT ARTICLE WITH
COMPRESSED GROOVE AND FLEXIBLE
PORTION

Examiner: Laura C. Hill

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

MS Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated December 13, 2007, please replace the **Amendments to the Claims** provided in the Amendment in Response to Non-Final Office Action mailed on October 2, 2007 with the **Amendments to the Claims** which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.